

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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He et al.

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For: Human NK3-Related Prostate Specific Gene 1

Examiner: L. R. Helms

**PROVISIONAL ELECTION WITH TRAVERSE  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.143 AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed May 15, 2006, please consider the following provisional election, *with traverse*, and consider the remarks below. Applicants submit herewith Exhibit A and a Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), with appropriate fee.

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